

Chambri language

The **Chambri language** is spoken by the Chambri people of the Chambri Lakes region in the Sepik basin of northern Papua New Guinea. Spellings in the older anthropological literature include *Tchambuli*, *Tshamberi*. Being completely surrounded by the Sepik languages, it is geographically separated from the rest of the Ramu–Lower Sepik language family, of which Chambri is a member of.^[3]

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External links

- Paradisec houses a collection of recordings by Bill Foley (WF3 (<http://catalog.paradisec.org.au/collections/WF3/items/002>)) and notebooks from Don Laycock's work (DL2 (<http://catalog.paradisec.org.au/collections/DL2>)). Both of these collections are open access.

| Chambri | |
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| Native to | Papua New Guinea |
| Region | Chambri Lakes region, East Sepik Province |
| Ethnicity | Chambri |
| Native speakers | (1,700 cited 1991) ^[1] |
| Language family | <div>Ramu–Lower Sepik<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lower Sepik (Nor–Pondo)<ul style="list-style-type: none">Pondo?<ul style="list-style-type: none">Chambri</div> |
| Language codes | |
| ISO 639-3 | can |
| Glottolog | cham1313 (http://glottolog.org/resource/linguoid/id/cham1313) ^[2] |

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